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**Re: O Centro Espitita Beneficiente Unaio Do Vegetal, et  
al. v. John Ashcroft, et al.; USDC No. CIV 00-1647 JP/RLP**

Dear Court Clerk:

The law firm of Roth, VanAmberg, Rogers, Ortiz & Yepa, LLP represents the Native American Church, whose application for amicus status was denied by the Court. Please therefore remove this firm's name from the Court's mailing list for notices and orders in this action as we are not a party and do not have amicus status in this case. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

If you should have any questions, please feel free to call me. By copy of this letter we are informing counsel of record for the parties of same.

Sincerely,

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cc: Counsel of Record  
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